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VA Benefits & Health Care Utilization

Number of Veterans Receiving VA Disability Compensation (as of 03/31/12):	3.42 M
Number of Veterans Rated 100% Disabled (as of 03/31/12):	338,658
Number of Veterans Receiving VA Pension (as of 03/31/12):	301,892
Number of Spouses Receiving DIC (as of 03/31/12):	338,176
Number of Total Enrollees in VA Health Care System (FY 11):	8.574 M ¹
Number of Total Unique Patients Treated (FY 11):	6.166 M ¹
Number of Veterans Compensated for PTSD (as of 03/31/12):	513,589
Number of Veterans in Receipt of IU Benefits (as of 03/31/12):	293,384
Number of VA Education Beneficiaries (FY 11):	923,836
Number of Life Insurance Policies Supervised and Administered by VA (as of 03/31/12):	7.10 M
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Number of VA Voc Rehab (Chapter 31) Trainees (FY 11):	60,294
Number of Active VA Home Loan Participants (as of 03/31/12):	1.64 M
Number of Health Care Professionals Rotating Through VA (FY 11):	116,794
Number of OEF/OIF Amputees (as of 04/01/12):	1,448 ²

Source: DVA Information Technology Center; Health Services Training Report; VBA Education Service; VBA Office of Performance Analysis & Integrity; ¹ VHA (10A5); ² DoD

Veterans Demographics

Projected U.S. Veterans Population:	22,234,000	{Female 1,854,000 8%}
Projected Number of Living WW II Veterans (as of 9/30/2011):		1,711,000
Number of WW II Veterans Pass Away Per Day:		740
Percentage of Veteran Population 65 or Older:		42.1%
Veteran Population by Race:	White 78.7%	Black 11.6%
	Asian/Pacific Islander 1.5%	Hispanic 6.0%
	American Indian/Alaska Natives 0.9%	Other 1.3%

About VA

Number of VA Employees in Pay Status:	317,629
Number of VA Hospitals:	152
Number of VA Community-Based Outpatient Clinics:	812
Number of VA Vet Centers:	300
Number of VBA Regional Offices:	56
Number of VA National Cemeteries:	131

FY10 Appropriations (actual) ¹	FY11 Appropriations (actual) ¹	FY12 Appropriations (estimated) ¹
VA: \$127.0B ⁴	VA: \$125.5B ⁴	VA: \$127B
VHA: \$47.9B ²	VHA: \$51.5B ²	VHA: \$54B ²
VBA-GOE: \$1.69B ³	VBA-GOE: \$2.13B ³	VBA-GOE: \$2.01B ³
NCA: \$250M	NCA: \$249.5M	NCA: \$251M
OIT: \$3.31B	OIT: \$2.99B	OIT: \$3.10B

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Source: Veteran Population as of 09/30/11; VA Employ Pay Status Count 03/31/12; Veterans Affairs Site Tracking (VAST) 12/31/11; NCA as of 12/31/11; Office of Budget; Health Services Training Report FY11; ¹ Includes MCCF; ² Medical Care w/ MCCF and medical research; ³ Discretionary Spending Only; ⁴ Includes funding from the Economic Recovery Act